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CC: Wirick, Holiday [wirick.holiday@epa.gov]
Subject: FW: Lake Sakakawea
Attachments: 2010_Final_ND_Integrated_Report_20100423.pdf

Importance: High

Hi Darren,

Check out the de-listing information for Lake Sakakawea for DO and temperature in North Dakota's 2010 Integrated Report (attached). It is located on page VI-48. As Holly indicates, the lake is currently listed for methylmercury for the fish consumption use.

I hope this information is helpful.

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Sent: Tuesday, May 14, 2019 2:56 PM
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Thanks! I will use a tier 1 designation for the lake, let me know what else if any you find for impairments.

From: Wirick, Holiday <wirick.holiday@epa.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, May 14, 2019 12:44 PM
To: Darren Darby <darren.darby@BARTWEST.COM>
Subject: Lake Sakakawea

Hi Darren. In response to your inquiry regarding what Tier Lake Sakakawea is, North Dakota's most recent Integrated Report (link below) states on p. 28 (electronic version) that "Category 1 is a very high level of protection and automatically applies to all Class 1, 2 and 3 lakes and reservoirs."

https://deq.nd.gov/publications/WQ/3_WM/TMDL/1_IntegratedReports/2016_Final_ND_Integrated_Report_20170222.pdf

Lake Sakakawea is identified as a Class 1 lake per Appendix II of *North Dakota's Standards of Quality for Waters of the State* at the link below on p. 32 (electronic version) at the link below:

<https://www.legis.nd.gov/information/acdata/pdf/33.1-16-02.1.pdf>

Regarding your question about whether Lake Sakakawea is listed for any parameters other than methylmercury, I have a call in to a coworker of mine who works on monitoring and assessment issues in North Dakota. I'll let you know what I hear back from her or will ask her to respond to you directly.

Thanks,

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